

# The making and doing of family in, through and with education and social work

International Conference  
September 22-24, 2021  
Trier University, Germany

Detailed Programme and Abstracts,  
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the **hybrid conference** at

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This international conference addresses the growing body of research activities which inquire into the discursive and material production of 'the family' through organisations and services in education and social work, in relation to the everyday practices of 'doing' and 'making family' among their heterogeneous members. It brings together researchers from family studies, childhood studies, anthropology, human geographies, education, social work and other research areas to foster a transdisciplinary discussion towards research approaches and insights, as well as the conceptual and methodological challenges in researching these relational processes. Our conference will take place in hybrid format.

## Programme

### WEDNESDAY, 22.09.2021

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| 13:00 | Registration                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 14:30 | <b>Opening</b><br><i>Michael Jäckel (President Trier University)</i><br><i>Sabine Bollig &amp; Lisa Groß (Conference Organizer)</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 15:15 | Plenum Session<br><b>Doing and Making of Family in Pandemic Times</b><br><i>Marta Buler &amp; Paula Pustulka (POL) Family Practices and Relations of First-Time Mothers during COVID-19</i><br><i>Johanna Mierendorff &amp; Thomas Grunau (GER) COVID-19 and 'The Making Of' Family in (Post-)Welfare State Contexts</i><br><i>Ida W. Winther, Dorte Kousholt, Nanna Jordt Jørgensen, Karen Ida Dannesboe &amp; Nana Clemensen (DEN) Timetables and Glossy Pictures. Danish families coping with the COVID-19 lockdown</i> |
| 16:30 | Exchange and Discussion<br><b>Doing and Making of Family in Pandemic Times in my Research Field/Country</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| 17:00 | Break                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 17:30 | <b>Imagining Future Families? How life-courses and legacies are shaped by austerity</b> <i>Sarah Hall (GBR)</i><br><b>The Family as a 'Living Archive': Practices of remembering in residential care, between public and private institutionalization</b> <i>Florian Eßer (GER)</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 19:00 | Closing                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 19:30 | <b>Conference Reception</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |



**THURSDAY, 23.09.2021**

08:30 Registration

09:00 **Opening**  
Sabine Bollig & Lisa Groß

09:15 **Doing Family Right. The influence of child-institutions on family-practices, parental norms and social distinctions** Eva Gulløv (DEN)  
**Doing Family at the Crossroads of Organizations and Private Lives**  
Karin Jurczyk, Barbara Thiessen & Maria S. Rerrich (GER)

10:45 Coffee break

11:00 Plenum Session  
**Doing/Undoing Family, Education and Age**  
Viktoria Parisot, Marlies Zuccato-Doutlik & Ulrike Zartler (AUT) UnDoing the 'Good' Family. Discourses and practices of parenthood and marriage within family court proceedings  
Grit Höppner, Cordula Endter & Anna Wanka (GER) Linking Ages – An approach towards un/doing age while un/doing family in the COVID-19 Pandemic  
Dominik Krinninger (GER) Families Doing Education

12:45 Lunch

13:45 Parallel Sessions  
**Inequalities and Discrimination in the Making of Families**  
Anja Sieber-Egger & Gisela Unterweger (SUI) Wealth, Racism and white Privilege. Racialized discursive practices of 'doing family' in parent-teacher talks in Swiss kindergarten  
Julia Hahmann & Christine Hunner-Kreisel (GER) Doing Loyalty, Doing Voice, Doing Exit—An intersectional perspective on single mothers\* and their everyday strategies  
Tanja Betz & Stefanie Bischoff-Pabst (GER) Doing Family in and with Early Childhood Education and Care Centers. A social inequality perspective  
Ellen Kollender (GER) The Making and Doing of 'Immigrant Parents' within the Context of Neoliberal Reforms. A dispositive analysis

**Making Family with Organisations/Networks**  
Simone Seitz & Catalina Hamacher (GER) Disempowerment of Families by Collaboration? Intended and unintended effects of collaboration between early education and early intervention  
Stephan Dahmen, Helga Kelle, Amanda Edler & Anna Hontschik (GER) Doing Family in, through and with Risk-Assessment in Early Support Networks  
Jessica Bollag, Caroline Bühler, Tamara Deluigi & Mira Ducommun (SUI) Managing undesired Behavior and assessing Family Constellations: the role of teachers and schools in child placements in Switzerland, 1950 to 1980  
Maarit Alasuutari, Johanna Terävä & Anu Kuukka (FIN) Morally acceptable Accounts for changing Childcare - A case study of Finnish parents

**Making Family with Public/Private Boundaries**

Stefan Köngeter (SUI) The Making of the Family in Social Work at the Beginning of the 20th Century  
Allan Westerling & Pernille Juhl (DEN) Collaborative Instrumentalization of Family Life: How new learning agendas disrupt care chains in the Danish welfare state  
Eberhard Raiithelhuber (AUT) Towards a Re-familialization of Social Security and Inclusion? A critical view on mentoring programs for migrants and youth  
Melissa Dierckx & Michel Vandenbroeck (BEL) Making and Doing Society by Making Family Networks: academia and policy on social cohesion in child and family social work

**Doing Family through Partnerships and Shared Care**

Sabrina Göbel & Sabine Bollig (LUX/GER) Doing Shared Care in ECEC Institutions  
Muriel Degen (SUI) Parents in Multilocal Families - balancing the everyday life  
Dorte Kousholt (DEN) Conflictual Collaboration about Care for Children  
Karen Ida Dannesboe (DEN) Parents as Learning Facilitators. Early childhood education and care centres and home learning in families



**THURSDAY, continued**

- 16:00 Coffee Break
- 16:30 **Poster Session**  
with moderation and discussion  
Stepanka Kadera (GER); Sigrid James, Juri Kilian & Marina Scholand (GER); Franziska Seidel (GER); Christina Herrmann (GER); Bernhild Pfautsch (GER); Stefanie Sauer & Frauke Risse (GER); Katharina Niedling (GER); Monika Gigerl & Britta Breser (AUT)  
(Titles and abstracts on conference website)
- 17:15 **Intersecting Spaces between Family and School** Jürgen Budde (GER)
- 18:00 **Closing**
- 18:30 Sightseeing Tour Old Town of Trier (also virtual)
- 19:45 Conference Dinner

**FRIDAY, 24.09.2021**

- 09:15 **Opening**
- 09:30 **Doing Parenthood within Ambivalent Orders of Recognition** Almut Peukert (GER)
- 10:15 Coffee Break
- 10:30 Parallel Sessions
- Children and Youth as Actors of Doing Family**  
*Maarit Alasuutari, Anu Kuukka & Anna Siippainen (FIN)* Children's Views of their Everyday Life and Daily Well-Being  
*Nadine Kaak & Angelika Sichma (GER)* Children as Actors in the Practical Definitions and Manifestations of Day Care - Family Relations  
*Lisa Groß (GER)* Doing and Displaying Family with Tattoos of Young People in Residential Care

**Doing Family and Mobilities**  
*Danielle Ekman-Ladru, Tanja Joelsson, Sofia Cele, Linda Fridén Syrjäpalo, Dag Balkmar & Malin Henriksson (SWE)* Doing Family through Mobility – families' time-spatial organisation and negotiation of children's mobility practices in rural and urban settings  
*Sabine Bollig & Selina Behnke (GER)* Doing Borders while Doing Care in Crossborder Commuter Families  
*Ursina Jaeger (GER)* Emotional Compatibility of Familial Belonging across Space. Thoughts along an ethnographic pathway

**Research Methodologies towards the Doing and Making of Families**  
*Amancaj Maria Jenny (AUT)* How to do Research on the Doing and Making of Family in, through and with Education and Social Work?  
*Jiayin Gottwald Li, Manuela Westphal, Samia Aden & Franziska Korn (GER)* Family Generational Relations in the Context of Refuge and Asylum: Methodological reflections on the investigation of doing and displaying Family  
*Mona-Lisa Angell (NOR)* Practices of Doing Parenthood and Professionalism in and through Parent-Teacher Conferences: What can conversation analysis tell us?

**Doing Parenthood with and by Professionals**  
*Anja Eichhorn (GER)* The Doing and Displaying of Being a Parent as a Consequence of Social Services Work. A research project about mothers and fathers with children in residential childcare  
*Diletta Mauri, Silvia Fargion, Teresa Bertotti & Giulia Moretto (ITA)* Representations of Parenting in High Conflict Families: professionals' and parents' views  
*Melanie Kubandt (GER)* Same-Sex Parenthood in Early Childhood Education, Care and Upbringing: Old and new gender relations in the context of family and day care centres



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## FRIDAY, continued

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Plenum Session

### **Making and Doing Family in the Context of Flight, Social Work and Civic Engagement**

*Philipp Sandermann, Hila Kakar, Onno Husen, Vanessa Schwenker & Laura Wenzel (GER)* Becoming a 'Refugee Parent'. The making and doing of forced migrants' parenthood in the context of early childhood education and care

*Òscar Prieto-Flores, Xavier Casademont & Xavier Alarcon (ESP)* Complementary Social Support for Unaccompanied Immigrant Youths in Spain: A critical outlook to the role of youth mentoring in Barcelona

*Ines Gottschalk (GER)* Host Families for Unaccompanied Minors as Formalized Living Together: Multi-perspective insights in the aptitude procedure and the matching process as co-constructive life-world appropriations

*Caroline Schmitt (AUT)* Transnational Family Work? Social workers' perspectives on the absent parents of unaccompanied minor refugees

15:30 Plenum Discussion

### **The Doing and Making of Family in, through and with Education and Social Work**

16:00 Closing

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